

Blackwater National Wildlife Refuge

2022 Schedule of Events

Note: VC = Visitor Center



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February 12 – Guided Birding* 8am with Terry Allen (meet at VC)

February 21 – No Fee for Wildlife Drive, Presidents' Day

February 27 – Guided Birding* 8am with Harry Armistead (meet at VC)

March 5, 6, 12 & 13 – Eagle Festival. Registration will be required for certain activities.

Details coming soon.

March 27 – Guided Birding* 8am with Harry Armistead (meet at VC)

April 9 – Guided Birding* 8am with Terry Allen (meet at VC)

April 24 – Guided Birding* 8am with Harry Armistead (meet at VC)

June 4 – Blackwater's Annual Youth Fishing Fun Day. Details TBD.

June 19 – No Fee for Wildlife Drive, Juneteenth

August 4 – No Fee for Wildlife Drive, Great American Outdoors Act signing

September 24 – No Fee for Wildlife Drive, National Public Lands Day

September 24 – Litter Pickup for National Public Lands Day

9am – 12pm. Volunteers are needed to help pick up litter on refuge roadsides. Call 410-221-8157 to register.

October 9 – No Fee for Wildlife Drive, National Wildlife Refuge Week Kickoff

October 30 – Guided Birding* 8am with Harry Armistead (meet at VC)

November 11 – No Fee for Wildlife Drive, Veterans Day

November 20 – Guided Birding* 8am with Harry Armistead (meet at VC)

December 4 – Guided Birding* 8am with Harry Armistead (meet at VC)

All December – 10% off your entire purchase at the FOB's Eagle's Nest Nature Store!

***Note** – Guiding birding tours meet at 8:00 am at the Blackwater Visitor Center, 2145 Key Wallace Drive, Cambridge, MD, 21613. Tours may last 3-4 hours. Bring your binoculars and dress appropriately for the weather. The birding party will caravan via car to birding hotspots around the Wildlife Drive. Covid protocols observed.

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Calendar updates can be found at:

www.fws.gov/refuge/Blackwater or www.friendsofblackwater.org

Call 410-228-2677 for information